

Russia and the Far-Right

Insights from Ten European Countries

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List of Abbreviations

ABW	The Polish Internal Security Agency
ACLR	Associazione Culturale Lombardia Russia (Cultural Association Lombardy Russia)
AENM	The Alliance of European National Movements
AfD	Alternative for Germany
AFS	Alternativ för Sverige (Alternative for Sweden)
BCSP	The Belgrade Centre for Security Policy
BIA	Bezbednosno-Informativna Agencija (Security Intelligence Agency)
BIS	Bezpečnostní Informační Služba (Czech Security Information Service)
CCR	Comités Canal Résistance (Resistance Channel Committees)
CDU	Christlich Demokratische Union Deutschlands (Christian Democratic Union of Germany)
CSTO	Collective Security Treaty Organisation
DCA	Defence Cooperation Agreement
DIICOT	Directorate for the Investigation of Organised Crime and Terrorism
DSSS	Dělnická strana sociální spravedlnosti (The Workers' Party of Social Justice)
ECDHR	European Council on Democracy and Human Rights
EU	European Union
FdI	Fratelli d'Italia
FI	Forza Italia (Forward Italy)
FIMI	Foreign Information Manipulation and Influence
FNJ	Front National de la Jeunesse (National Youth Front)
FPÖ	Freiheitliche Partei Österreichs (Freedom Party of Austria)
FvD	Het Forum Voor Democratie (The Forum for Democracy)
GRU	Glavnoye Razvedyvatel'noye Upravleniye (Main Investigative Administration)
GUD	Groupe Union Défense (Union Defence Group)
HVIM	Hatvannegy Varmegye Ifjusagi Mozgalom (Sixty-Four Counties Youth Movement)
JRE	Journées de Retrait de l'École (School Vacation Days)

LGBTQ+	lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, queer, plus
MEPs	Members of the European Parliament
MNR	Mouvement Nationaliste Révolutionnaire (Revolutionary Nationalist Movement)
MW	Młodzież Wszechpolska (All-Polish Youth)
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organisation
NCOZ	Národní Centrála Proti Organizovanému Zločinu (The National Centre Against Organised Crime)
ND	Národní Demokracie (National Democracy)
NIS	Petroleum Industry of Serbia
NRM	Nordic Resistance Movement
NSC	The National Security Council
ONR	Obóz Narodow-Radykalny (National Radical Camp)
PNFE	Parti Nationaliste Français et Européen (French and European Nationalist Party)
RDS	Russian Democratic Society
REMVE	Racially or Ethnically Motivated Violent Extremists
RIM	Russian Imperial Movement
RN	Rassemblement National (The National Rally)
SBB	Serbia Broad Brand
SCRF	Security Council of the Russian Federation
SD	Sweden Democrats Party
SFRY	Socialist Federal Republic of Yugoslavia
SNS	Serbian Progressive Party
SPD	Strana Přímé Demokracie (The Party of Direct Democracy)
SPS	Socialist Party of Serbia
SRS	Srpska Radikalna Stranka (Serbian Radical Party)
UNI	The Union Nationale Inter-universitaire (The National Inter-University Union)
UR	United Russia
VRWE	Violent Right-Wing Extremism
WCF	World Congress of Families
ZOG	Zionist Occupation Government

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